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	<p>BIDDING</p> <p>(a) A single price shall be quoted for each item against which a proposal is submitted. This price will be the maximum in effect during the agreement period. Any price decline at the manufacturer's level shall be reflected in a reduction of the agreement price to the State.</p> <p>(b) Quantities, if any, are estimated only. The agreement shall cover the actual quantities ordering during the period. Deliveries will be billed at the single, firm, awarded unit price quoted regardless of the quantities ordered.</p> <p>(c) Bid price is net F.O.B. destination and shall include inside delivery at no extra cost.</p> <p>(d) Bids for single items and/or a small percentage of total items listed, may, at the State's sole option, be rejected as being non-responsive to the intent of this request.</p> <p>ORDERING</p> <p>(a) The User Agency(s) will submit individual orders for the various items and various quantities as may be required during the agreement period.</p> <p>(b) Exception - Regardless of any agreement resulting from this bid, the State reserves the right to solicit prices separately for any extra large requirements for delivery to specific destinations.</p>				

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	<p>STATEWIDE APPLICABILITY - Political Subdivisions (cities, towns, schools, quasi-public agencies), as authorized by law, may participate in this Agreement. All ordering and billing shall be between the vendor and the political subdivision (only).</p> <p>REPORTS - The Vendor agrees to provide the State with quarterly reports describing activity against this Price Agreement. If this is a Master Price Agreement, such reports shall include usage by municipalities, quasi-public agencies, schools, etc. All reports shall contain the following data: (1) Billing volume in dollars and (2) quantity shipped for each line item in the price agreement. When there are no line items in the price agreement, vendor shall report volume by catalog order numbers, with a brief description of each order number.</p> <p>Reports must be submitted to the RI Division of Purchases to the attention BUYER named in this notice, identifying the Agreement number and the Reporting Period. Quarterly reports shall be due 45 calendar days after the end of each quarter. Failure to submit required reports shall be considered a breach of the contractor's obligations and may be considered, at the discretion of the State Purchasing Agent, sufficient cause for the termination of the agreement and other outstanding agreements and orders, and possible suspension from participation in additional State procurements.</p>				

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	AN INSURANCE CERTIFICATE IN COMPLIANCE WITH PROVISIONS OF ITEM 31 (INSURANCE) OF THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF PURCHASE IS REQUIRED FOR COMPREHENSIVE GENERAL LIABILITY, AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY, AND WORKERS' COMPENSATION AND MUST BE SUBMITTED BY THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER(S) TO THE DIVISION OF PURCHASES PRIOR TO AWARD. THE INSURANCE CERTIFICATE MUST NAME THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AS CERTIFICATE HOLDER AND AS AN ADDITIONAL INSURED. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THESE PROVISIONS MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF THE OFFEROR'S BID. ANNUAL RENEWAL CERTIFICATES MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE AGENCY IDENTIFIED ON THE PURCHASE ORDER. FAILURE TO DO SO MAY BE GROUNDS FOR CANCELLATION OF CONTRACT.				

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	<p>NOTE: IF THIS BID COVERS CONSTRUCTION, SCHOOL BUSING, HAZARDOUS WASTE, OR VESSEL OPERATION, APPLICABLE COVERAGES FROM THE FOLLOWING LIST MUST ALSO BE SUBMITTED TO THE DIVISION OF PURCHASES PRIOR TO AWARD:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">* PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE (AKA ERRORS & OMISSIONS) - \$1 MILLION OR 5% OF ESTIMATED PROJECT COST, WHICHEVER IS GREATER.* BUILDER'S RISK INSURANCE - COVERAGE EQUAL TO FACE AMOUNT OF CONTRACT FOR CONSTRUCTION.* SCHOOL BUSING - AUTO LIABILITY COVERAGE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$5 MILLION.* ENVIRONMENTAL IMPAIRMENT (AKA POLLUTION CONTROL) - \$1 MILLION OR 5% OF FACE AMOUNT OF CONTRACT, WHICHEVER IS GREATER.* VESSEL OPERATION - (MARINE OR AIRCRAFT) - PROTECTION & INDEMNITY COVERAGE REQUIRED IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1 MILLION.				

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	<p>THIS IS A MULTI-YEAR BID/CONTRACT. PER RHODE ISLAND STATE LAW 37-2-33, CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS BEYOND THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR ARE SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS. CONTINUATION OF THE CONTRACT BEYOND THE INITIAL FISCAL YEAR WILL BE AT THE DISCRETION OF THE STATE. TERMINATION MAY BE EFFECTED BY THE STATE BASED UPON DETERMINING FACTORS SUCH AS UNSATISFACTORY PERFORMANCE OR THE DETERMINATION BY THE STATE TO DISCONTINUE THE GOODS/SERVICES, OR TO REVISE THE SCOPE AND NEED FOR THE TYPE OF GOODS/SERVICES; ALSO MANAGEMENT OWNER DETERMINATIONS THAT MAY PRECLUDE THE NEED FOR GOODS/SERVICES.</p> <p>DUE TO LENGTH OF BID AND TIME CONSTRAINTS, THE STATE WILL ONLY ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT AND READ THE NAMES OF VENDORS SUBMITTING PROPOSALS. NO EXAMINATION OF DOCUMENTS OR PRESENTATION OF INFORMATION CONTAINED IN PROPOSALS WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE AT THE BID OPENING; HOWEVER, INSTRUCTIONS TO OBTAIN THE TABULATION OR SUMMARY OF BID RESPONSES WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE AT THE RI DIVISION OF PURCHASES WEBSITE (www.purchasing.state.ri.us). After 1/1/04, the website will be www.purchasing.ri.gov.</p>				

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	<p>GOVERNMENT TO BUSINESS (G2B) ELECTRONIC COMMERCE</p> <p>WE HAVE THE CAPABILITY TO CONDUCT COMPUTER-TO-COMPUTER TRANSACTIONS OVER THE INTERNET AND PLACE ORDERS DIRECTLY INTO SOME SUPPLIER'S WEBSITES AND ORDER ENTRY SYSTEMS. WE ARE ALSO SEEKING TRADING PARTNERS FOR "PUNCHOUTS".</p> <p>ARE YOU INTERESTED IN PURSUING G2B (E-COMMERCE) OPPORTUNITIES WITH THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND?</p> <p>YES_____ NO_____</p> <p>DO YOU CURRENTLY HAVE OPERATIONAL THIS TYPE OF APPLICATION?</p> <p>APPROXIMATE TIME TO DEVELOP PUNCHOUT</p> <p>_____</p> <p>ABILITY TO PROCEED WITH E-COMMERCE WILL BE CONSIDERED IN AWARD EVALUATION.</p>				

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	<p>PRICES EACH YEAR CANNOT INCREASE MORE THAN THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX PUBLISHED BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR-BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS, OR ITS SUCCESSOR, FOR ALL URBAN CONSUMERS FOR THE NORTHEAST URBAN SIZE B/C COMMUNITIES WITH POPULATIONS LESS THAN 1,500,000, FOR THE NORTHEAST UNITED STATES IN EFFECT AS OF THE DATE CLOSEST TO THE ANNIVERSARY DATE OF THE AGREEMENT FOR THE YEAR THEN CONCLUDED OVER THE PRIOR YEAR.</p>				
1.0	<p>430-48 ACETYLENE 130CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____</p>	33574.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
2.0	<p>430-48 ACETYLENE B CYL. SIZE: 40CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____</p>	1645.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
3.0	<p>430-48 ACETYLENE, GR 2.6, AA CYL. SIZE: 300CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____</p>	5263.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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4.0	430-48 AIR ZERO 0.1 CYL . SIZE: 300CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	3330.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
5.0	430-48 AIR ZERO 0.1 CYL . SIZE: 200CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	10120.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
6.0	430-48 ARGON CYL . SIZE: 336CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	8736.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
7.0	430-48 ARGON PP 4.8 CYL . SIZE: 200CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	13250.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
8.0	430-48 ARGON PRE PURE CYL . SIZE: 336CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	77616.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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9.0	430-48 ARGON 75/CO2 CYL . SIZE: 382CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	6112.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
10.0	430-48 ARGON PP 4.8 CYL . SIZE: 300CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	14448.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
11.0	430-48 BREATHING AIR MEDICAL SIZE H CYL . SIZE: 235CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	22200.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
12.0	430-48 CARBON DIOXIDE 50# SIPHON CYL . SIZE: 50# ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	2250.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
13.0	430-48 CARBON DIOXIDE 50# CYL . SIZE: 50# ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	3300.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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14.0	430-48 CARBON DIOXIDE MEDICAL CYL . SIZE: H ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1300.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
15.0	430-48 CHLORINE HP 2.5 CYL . SIZE: 150CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	3300.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
16.0	430-48 EPA PROTOCOL, 2 COMP/1 TEST CYL . SIZE: 152CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	2432.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
17.0	430-48 HELIUM CYL . SIZE: 291CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1455.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
18.0	430-48 HELIUM HP 4.7 CYL . SIZE: 300CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	32883.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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19.0	430-48 HELIUM UHP 5 CYL . SIZE: 300CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	24153.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
20.0	430-48 HELIUM ZERO 0.5 CYL . SIZE: 300CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	11349.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
21.0	430-48 HELIUM CYL . SIZE: 244CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	13732.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
22.0	430-48 HELIUM, ZERO 0.5 CYL . SIZE: 200CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	2628.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
23.0	430-48 HYDROGEN CYL . SIZE: 200CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1302.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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24.0	430-48 HYDROGEN UHP GR5 CYL . SIZE: 200CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1075.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
25.0	430-48 HYDROGEN UHP GR5 CYL . SIZE: 300CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	3976.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
26.0	430-48 LIQUID HELIUM-PER LITER CYL . SIZE: 100 LITER DEW ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	4669.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
27.0	430-48 LIQUID NITROGEN - PER LITER CYL . SIZE: 160 LITER DEW ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	60000.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
28.0	430-48 MEDICAL OXYGEN CYL . SIZE: D ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1512.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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29.0	430-48 MEDICAL OXYGEN CYL . SIZE: E ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	48199.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
30.0	430-48 MEDICAL OXYGEN CYL . SIZE: H ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	199542.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
31.0	430-48 MEDICAL OXYGEN CYL . SIZE: M ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1000.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
32.0	430-48 NITROGEN CYL . SIZE: 200CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	40588.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
33.0	430-48 NITROGEN CYL . SIZE: 300CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	14429.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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34.0	430-48 NITROGEN PRE PURE CYL . SIZE: 200CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	41268.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
35.0	430-48 NITROGEN UHP 5 CYL . SIZE: 300CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	13072.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
36.0	430-48 OXYGEN CYL . SIZE: 281CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	3102.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
37.0	430-48 OXYGEN CYL . SIZE: 251CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	80069.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
38.0	430-48 OXYGEN CYL . SIZE: 124CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	10292.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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39.0	430-48 P-10 METHANE/ORGON UNANALYZED CYL . SIZE: 300CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	4896.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
40.0	430-48 P-5 METHANE/ARGON UNANALYZED CYL . SIZE: 300CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____ MINIMAL USAGE GASES	3366.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
41.0	430-48 ACETYLENE MC CYL . SIZE: 10CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	200.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
42.0	430-48 ARGON CYL . SIZE: 124CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	230.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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43.0	430-48 ARGON 75/CO2 25 CYL . SIZE: 126CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	630.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
44.0	430-48 CARBON DIOXIDE - BONE DRY 2.8 CYL . SIZE: 200CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	600.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
45.0	430-48 CARBON MONOXIDE IN N2 0.1 50% ANALYZE CYL . SIZE: 200CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	173.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
46.0	430-48 CO2/AIR MIX - CERTIFIED CYL . SIZE: H ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	190.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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47.0	430-48 EPA PROTOCOL, 3 COMP/2TEST CYL . SIZE: 152CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	152.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
48.0	430-48 H2 IN ARGON - 6.2% 50% UNANALYZED CYL . SIZE: 300CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	881.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
49.0	430-48 H2/HE HELIFUEL 40% CYL . SIZE: 200CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	269.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
50.0	430-48 HELIUM GR 6 CYL . SIZE: 200CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	219.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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51.0	430-48 HELIUM/ARGON/CO2 CYL . SIZE: 295CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	590.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
52.0	430-48 HYDROGEN PP 4.7 CYL . SIZE: 200CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	215.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
53.0	430-48 HYDROGEN UHP GR 5 CYL . SIZE: 80CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	79.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
54.0	430-48 NITROGEN CYL . SIZE: 100CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	115.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
55.0	430-48 NITROGEN CYL . SIZE: 58CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	60.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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56.0	430-48 NITROGEN, ZERO 0.2 CYL. SIZE: 200CF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	690.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
57.0	430-48 CO2/ARGON-CYLINDER SIZE "5" ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
58.0	430-48 30PPM SULPHUR DIOXIDE 3000PPM CARBON MONOXIDE BALANCE NITROGEN-EPA MIX ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
59.0	430-48 S-AIR-ZERO GRADE ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
60.0	430-48 JR. M-1% OXYGEN BALANCE NITROGEN-ANALYZED ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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61.0	430-48 S-ETHANE-CP GRADE ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
62.0	430-48 25% CO2/BAL ARGON CYLINDER "E" ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
63.0	430-48 25% CO2/BAL ARGON CYLINDER "S" ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
64.0	430-48 SIZE B (AL) - 30 PPM SULFUR DIOXIDE 30 PPM NITRIC OXIDE BAL. NITROGEN ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
65.0	430-48 NITROGEN-NF GRADE SIZE "J" ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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66.0	430-48 AIR ULTRA ZERO GRADE SIZE "J" ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
67.0	430-48 CO2-USP MED GRADE SIZE "S" ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
68.0	430-48 NITROGEN NF GRADE SIZE "S" ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
69.0	430-48 25% ARGON, HELIUM CYL. SIZE: H ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
70.0	430-48 1% ISOBUTANE BAL. ARGON ANALYZED CYL. SIZE: H ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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71.0	430-48 3000 PPM, CARBON MONOXIDE 30 PPM NITRIC OXIDE 30 PPM SULFUR DIOXIDE BALANCE NITROGEN - ANALYZED CYL. SIZE: H ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
72.0	430-48 30 PPM NITRIC OXIDE BALANCE NITROGEN - ANALYZED CYL. SIZE: H ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
73.0	430-48 HYDROGEN - ZERO GRADE CYL. SIZE: J ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
74.0	430-48 CO2/ARGON/HELIUM CYL. SIZE: H ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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75.0	430-48 GP1BO LIQUID NITROGEN GAS PACK ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
76.0	430-48 OXYGEN INDUSTRIAL CYL. SIZE: S ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
77.0	430-48 OXYGEN - UPC GRADE CYL. SIZE: J ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
78.0	430-48 CO2/AIR - USP MEDGR. CYL. SIZE: H ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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79.0	430-48 3000 PPM CARBON MONOXIDE CYL. SIZE: S 30 PPM NITRIC OXIDE 30 PPM SULFUR DIOXIDE BAL. NITROGEN ANALYZED ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
80.0	430-48 HYDROGEN - BAL. ARGON ANALYZED MIXTURE ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
81.0	430-48 HELIUM - 99.9999 RESEARCH GRADE CYL. SIZE: J ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
82.0	430-48 HELIUM - PREPURIFIED CYL. SIZE: H ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____

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83.0	430-48 HYDROGEN/ARGON 5% HYDROGEN BAL. ARGON UN1954 CYL. SIZE: H ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
84.0	430-48 NITROUS OXIDE USP STUBBY CYLINDER UN1070 ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____	1.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
85.0	430-48 RENTAL CHARGE FOR 160L DEWAR ALL TANKS CONTAINING LIQUID NITROGEN MUST HAVE A PRESSURE GAGE WHERE THE ACTUAL PRESSURE INSIDE THE TANK CAN BE DETERMINED. ALSO REQUIRED AS A 22 PSI RELIEF VALVE. DISCOUNT FROM PRICE CATALOG FOR ITEMS NOT LISTED. _____% VENDOR MUST ENCLOSE CATALOG WITH BID.	1.00	MO	_____	_____

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86.0	430-48 LIQUID OXYGEN - MEDICAL CYL. SIZE: CCF ACTUAL CYL. SIZE BID: _____ PRICE PER CYLINDER: \$ _____ LIQUID OXYGEN IN U.S.P. OXYGEN CYLINDER (MINIMUM CYLINDER CAPACITY 1000 GALLONS) TO BE DELIVERED ON AN AUTOMATIC DELIVERY SCHEDULE TO ELEANOR SLATER HOSPITAL. TANK SIZE: _____	65000.00	CCF/LB	_____	_____
87.0	430-48 MONTHLY CHARGE FOR BULK TANK LIQUID OXYGEN IN U.S.P. OXYGEN CYLINDER (MINIMUM CYLINDER CAPACITY 1400 GALLONS) TO BE DELIVERED ON AN AUTOMATIC DELIVERY SCHEDULE TO RHODE ISLAND VETERANS HOME. TANK SIZE: _____	1.00	MO	_____	_____
88.0	430-48 MONTHLY CHARGE FOR BULK TANK	1.00	MO	_____	_____

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CONTRACT REQUIREMENTS: 8/1/06 THROUGH 7/31/09

Services as requested by Agency.

All bid prices submitted must be based on the unit of measure specified in the unit column of this bid. Failure to submit as requested will result in disqualification of your bid.

The State of Rhode Island requests pricing for a period of THREE years with the option to renew for two (2) additional two (2) year periods.

The State of Rhode Island requests quotations for its annual requirements of industrial and medical gases. The successful vendor and the present vendor are responsible for the smooth transfer of this service.

Deliveries are to be made to various state agencies throughout the State. Delivery time to respond to an agency request must be within 24 hours after an agency places the request prior to a scheduled delivery time as established by the successful bidder.

Contractor will be notified when cylinders are ready for pick up. If cylinders are not picked up within 48 hours after such notification, the agency will be released from all charges.

Contractor will be responsible for any leakages as they occur in contractor-supplied cylinders. Bidders must appraise themselves of the valves, regulators, transitional and delivery requirements, etc., used at state agencies and indicate on their letterhead memorandum any changes that may be necessary. The adapters are to be supplied to the State at no extra charge.

Successful bidder must submit to the Division of Purchases, within 90 days after each year of the contract period, a written breakdown of the total usage in cubic feet and the dollar amount including delivery charges, purchased by various state agencies under this agreement.

BIDDER NAME

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Inability to comply with any of the above specifications and responsibilities will be cause for rejection of the bid and no bid will be evaluated unless the bidder has checked "yes" in the space provided to indicate compliance.

BIDDERS CHECK FOR COMPLIANCE TO THE ABOVE.

YES _____

Prices quoted must be on a net basis; cash, trade, quantity discounts and hazardous fees must be figured in the net prices submitted.

The bidder must explain, in detail, on a letterhead memorandum attached to this bid, the rental/delivery charges on cylinders for all items on this bid. Also, the bidder must state what his charges will be for the repair, replacement of valves, testing and repainting of agency-owned cylinders.

Methods for cylinder charges will be considered in the evaluation of this requirement.

The amounts, given under the "quantity" column for medical and industrial gases, are estimates only. Medical and Industrial Gases will be awarded on an all or nothing basis to one successful bidder.

All tanks containing liquid nitrogen are required to have a pressure gage where upon the actual pressure inside the tank can be determined. The University of Rhode Island may require special deliveries. Also required is a 22 PSI relief valve.

A Master Price Agreement for these requirements will be issued listing the gases, cylinder size and cylinder prices for the **three** year period with the option to renew for (2) two additional (2) two year periods. Any further information, for billing purposes that may be required, must be listed at the end of your offer. (i.e.: your own part numbers).

Vendor must include discount from catalog pricing for items not included in listing.

Price adjustments will be considered after the first twelve months of the contract based on CPI – plus or minus – pricing will be reevaluated on May 1st of each year of the contract.

PRICES EACH YEAR CANNOT INCREASE MORE THAN THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX PUBLISHED BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR-BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS, OR ITS SUCCESSOR, FOR ALL URBAN CONSUMERS FOR THE NORTHEAST URBAN SIZE B/C COMMUNITIES WITH POPULATIONS LESS THAN 1,500,000, FOR THE NORTHEAST UNITED STATES IN EFFECT AS OF THE DATE CLOSEST TO THE ANNIVERSARY DATE OF THE AGREEMENT FOR THE YEAR THEN CONCLUDED OVER THE PRIOR YEAR.

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